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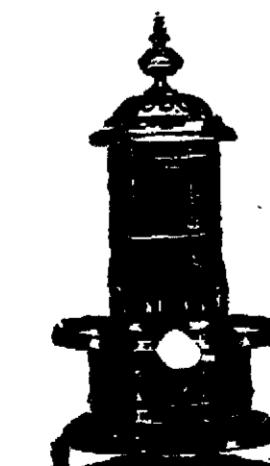
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### THE SARAH ATKINS

*She Left This Port on a Sealing Voyage and Never Returned.*  
In the year 1829 a "pink sterner" schooner sailed from this port on a sealing voyage to the Cape Horn region, under command of Captain Joshua W. Kenney and never returned.

Joshua Card, now keeper of Portsmouth harbor light at fort Constitution, New Castle, says the "pink" was the Sarah Atkins, of 47 tons, and that his father was a member of her crew on the previous voyage, which was quite a successful one. He intended to go on the second and dangerous trip, but something at almost the last moment prevented, luckily for him, as turned out.

Capt. Kenney's house was on Bow st. the house standing high up on the face of the bold bluff of Church point, and after the arrival home of the schooner Pacific, which sailed on a sealing voyage at about the same time as the Sarah Atkins, Capt. Kenney's wife placed a candle every night in the window of a chamber that faced down the river, and until the time of her death, at the age of about 90 years, that window was never without its light showing down river through the night. The old lady up to the last entertained a hope that her husband would yet return, and when she became too feeble through old age to attend to the light herself her relatives dutifully did it for her. When she died the light went out, for everybody else had given the missing man up 40 years before.

### A Chance for Newick

W. B. McNamee, the Capital city's crack young wheelman, challenges any of the smart amateur men in the state to a match race of one mile, paced. He is out with the following formal challenge which appears in this morning's Manchester Union:

CONCORD, Jan. 22, 1898.—I hereby challenge any amateur rider in New Hampshire to a match race of one mile, best of two or three heats, to be paced by one machine. The race is to be ridden under the L. A. W. section and racing rules, and pulled off by the party offering the best in lumcements.

(Signed) W. B. McNamee.

McNamee prefers to meet Frank A. Fish of Keene, who will be recognized as the state champion in the amateur class now that Blake, the Keene whirling, has turned professional. The Concord lad is also very desirous of getting a race with Greenwood of Manchester, Ira Newick of this city or Narramore of Peterboroug

### The Genius Hobo

During the run of a year and especially so during the winter months, hundreds of tramps are furnished shelter at the police station. Some are well dressed, evidently honest, willing men, having struck a run of ill luck while others are attired in musty clothing, dirty, lazy and indifferent as to whether school keeps or not. Every tramp that applies at the various police stations in the city of Boston for a night's rest is sent to the Chardon-street home. Here the tramps are registered and then taken down stairs and divested of their clothing and given a bath in a mammoth tank. Half a dozen will be seen splashing around in the water at once. After they are washed thoroughly clean, they are given a long night robe and assigned to bunks. Their clothes are all taken and put through a fumigator, which not only cleanses them, but destroys all vermin and germs of disease. In the morning they are given back their clothes. If the tramps want breakfast, they can get it at the home by doing a certain amount of work, which is principally sawing wood.

### Obsequies

The funeral services over the remains of Mrs. Mary J. Knowlton were held at her late home on Chapel street this afternoon. Rev. Lucia Thayer officiated in the presence of a large number of relatives and friends of the deceased she having a great many of the latter among the members of the No. 1 church parish at which church she worshipped. A delegation of well known gentlemen from the Congregational church acted as pall bearers. Interment took place in Proprietors cemetery.

### Saturday Night Runaway

A horse belonging to H. R. Stoddard and driven by Pete Masterson, ran away Saturday evening and came down Islington street on the run. Masterson was unable to stop the animal until he reached the toll gate at the lower end of Market street. Later in the evening he was brought to the police station by Officer Shannon and the horse turned over to Mr. Stoddard. Masterson had been drinking and had narrowly escaped running down a number of people.

### What Wives Should Remember

That Adam was made first.  
That "blessed are the meek."  
That nine men in ten detest gossip.  
That all angels are not of your sex.  
That confidence begets confidence.  
That men sometimes have "nerves."  
That there should be no place like home.

That it takes two to prolong a family  
journey.

That the least said is the soonest mended.

That with all his faults you love him still.

That you should have no secrets from him.

That husbands have troubles of their own.

That he's "all right" when you know him.

That woman's best weapon is her weakness.

That home is more than half what you make it.

That he is just as anxious to get rich as you are.

That wives are unusually favored in this country.

That his typewriter cannot help it if she is pretty.

That he likes to hear that the baby is his dead image.

That six pairs of slippers are enough for any man.

That a man likes neatness in your attire at all times.

That envy in excess is worse than ruff in moderation.

That you should not run up bills without his knowledge.

That "baby in the house is a well-spring of pleasure."

That she who puts on the gloves should know how to pier.

That he is not in love with every woman he glances at.

That it is policy to let him believe he is master and master.

That your relationship is closer to him than to your mother.

That a prompt and pointed answer does not turn away wrath.

That he does not get sleepy the same moment that you do.

That there are letter drop-boxes on the nearest corners.

That you should not expect him to light the fire in the morning.

That you can't keep books, and there is no use of your trying.

That he expects you to look your best when you go out with him.

That it does not improve his razor to use it for chiropodical purposes.

That house hunting is not reckoned by the average man as a pastime.

That 8 p.m. is 60 minutes past 7 o'clock not 15 minutes to 8.

My Friend from India

No effort has been spared to make the production of the great success, "My Friend from India" which comes to Music hall on the evening of Jan. 26, the best rendering of the farce-comedy that has yet been seen outside of New York. The company contains many members of the original company and is headed by their chief man-maker Mr. Walter E. Perkins as A. Keene Shaver, the barber around whom the story is written and who allows himself to be passed off as a student of Theosophy and result in no end of laughable side-splitting predicaments and situations. After its almost instantaneous success in New York and Boston and who's still playing there, two road companies were rushed out, but this is the first chance that Portsmouth has had the opportunity of seeing nearly the original organization play the pieces as they did in their long run in the bigger cities and which called forth nothing but the highest praise from all critics.

### Navy Yard Notes

The employees of the navy yard were paid today.

Work has been commenced on the tool building for the steel plant.

Two new boats are to be built for the Alliance.

The pigeon cot at Annapolis has been discontinued.

Benjamin Keen has returned to his duties at the navy yard.

### My Portsmouth Man

A gentleman who stands close to the New Hampshire delegation offered to make a wager on Saturday evening that Col. Elwell of Exeter would not be appointed and that the place would be captured by a Portsmouth man.

### The Dog Head & Pin

A pretty little spaniel dog belonging to Jerry Woodsum had a fit on Vaughan street this morning, which resulted in the animal having to be killed. State Agent Hodgkins of the S. P. C. A. attended to this part of the business.

### WANT OUR HELP

Boston People at Last See That Portsmouth Has a Claim

Our Boston brethren are crying baby so soon and their chit-chat about Portsmouth harbor has now subsided and they are now asking the friends of the Portsmouth navy yard to help them. They now realize that Severe Long is powerless to give them a new dock alone and single-handed. Congressman Fitzgerald tells the whole story in an interview with a reporter in Boston as follows:

"Mr. Fitzgerald was also asked his opinion in regard to the chances for a favorable recommendation from the naval affairs committee for a dry dock for Boston, and he said the merchants of Boston would need to inform themselves upon the matter, as the fact that Sec. Long is from Massachusetts is not all that is required to have the naval affairs committee recommend an appropriation for a dry dock.

Mr. Fitzgerald said that as Congressman Boutelle, the chairman of the naval affairs committee, is from the state of Maine, he is friendly to the Kittery, Me., known as the Portsmouth yard. Speaker Reed is also friendly to the Kittery yard, which is in his district, and Mr. Dingley, leader of the house, is also friendly to that yard; and in the senate, Senators Frye, Hale and Chandler are much interested in the Portsmouth yard, and they have a tremendous amount of interest in shaping legislation in navy yard affairs.

Judging from the way they talk, no legislation for a dry dock appropriation which does not include Portsmouth can be passed by the present congress. The congressman stated that he had written Mayor Quincy some time ago suggesting the advisability of inviting the committee on naval affairs to Boston to look over the navy yard and its plant, and he feels that this will be done. The congressman is certain that if the members of the committee on naval affairs come to Boston and see the magnificent opportunities that exist in the Charlestown yard for the construction of a suitable dry dock, the appropriation will be recommended by the committee.

### BAY STATE BOTTLING WORKS

#### Incorporation Completed With Jas. F. Shaw as President

The incorporation of the Bay State Bottling Company in this city has opened up a new industry which is fair to become one of the leading industries of the city.

The company has been chartered under the laws of Massachusetts and have elected the following officers:

President—James F. Shaw.

Vice president—John Torrey.

Secretary—George E. Shaw.

Treasurer—George W. Mansur.

Directors—James F. Shaw, John Torrey, George W. Mansur, Albert T. Gould, George E. Shaw.

The Magoway bottling works have been purchased and the building adjoining those works formerly owned by T. C. Simpson and A. J. Hayes have been secured. The old machinery has been disposed of and new processes introduced. The Magoway building has been painted inside and out.

A new Tufis carbonator will soon be put in and the company will manufacture nothing but the best line of goods, all of which will be warranted pure and undiluted. They will extend their business to all parts of New England, and in the summer season 15 to 25 hands will be employed.

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Death of James Ryan, Jr.

Beverly's Popular Young Postmaster and Leading Lawyer

The news of the sudden death of James R. Ryan, Jr., the popular young postmaster of Beverly who was received in this city yesterday afternoon was a severe shock to his friends as it was not known that he had been ill. Mr. Ryan was well known here and belonged to several secret societies which made him a frequent visitor to this city. He was one of the brightest young lawyers in the state and no man had a brighter future before him, than did Mr. Ryan. He was a prominent democrat and as a lawyer he had already made his mark, and in his death Beverly has sustained a great loss. He had been ill but four days with scarlet fever and his friends and relatives were unprepared for the sad news.

Mrs. Abbie Dwyer.

Abbie, widow of the late John Dwyer, died at her home on Market street early this morning, after a long and painful sickness, at the age of 75 years.

Decided was a well known personage on Market street, where she has resided a great many years. She leaves two daughters, Mrs. Cornelius O'Keefe, and Miss Abbie Dwyer, with whom she resided, and one granddaughter, Miss Mary Moses,

### BROKE HER WRIST

A Well Known Lady Receives a Bad Fall

Mrs. Mary Peudester slipped on the ice and received a bad fall in front of Preston's pharmacy this morning. She was seen to fall by two young men who rushed to her aid and assisted her into the drug store, called in Dr. Parsons who happened to be passing by. It was found that one of the small bones in her right wrist was fractured and that she was badly shaken up. After recovering somewhat a hock was prepared and she was taken to her home on Vaughan street where the physician made her as comfortable as possible.

### LOST THE TROPHY

Calumet Whist Team was Defeated by the Claremonts

The Calumet whist team lost the State Whist association's trophy cup, which it won from the Warwick club of Portsmouth about a week ago. The Warwick team won the cup at the tournament, lost it to the Calumet team, which stood second and those regulars who were not elected to stand in the tournament, and Friday evening the Claremont team, which stood third in the tournament, came here and took away the trophy.

Next week the Owl team of Manchester, which stood fourth in the tournament, will go to Claremont and attempt to win the cup.

### CITY BLITZES.

The Elks meet tomorrow evening.

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**PORTSMOUTH'S INTERESTS.**

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The New York Journal has concluded to support Mr. Bryan—if he be nominated.

In the nick of time Speaker Reed prevented the house minority from freeing Cuba.

The rattle-headed Parisians are Jew-baiting again. Life in Paris is on continual sputter.

In a humorous article in the St. Paul Globe we find the amusing statement that Tom Bixby was sidetracked because he was too popular.

No matter what may be the subject under debate, Jerry Simpson may always be relied on to work in some reference to Mr. Reed's neglect to appoint those committees.

The Stillwater Gazette has dug up another in-a-moment man. He asked his father-in-law to pay half of \$35 dentists bill for work on his wife's teeth on the grounds that they were in poor condition when he married her.

The attack of the Law and Order League upon His Excellency Governor Mansfield, will be condemned by 99 percent of the people of New Hampshire. The HERALD does not care which party favored the prohibitory law in New Hampshire, or has promised to enforce it; that is not the question but why does this organization seek to defame the acts and conduct of the chief executive of the state? The HERALD believes that Governor Mansfield is an honest man and has done his full duty, but because he has refused to back up the nations of all men who are unable to get a living in any other way and have missed their calling, he is criticised by them. The attack was in tempest unsealed for and will react to the credit of the Governor who is performing his duties fearlessly and impartially.

**A PLOT FOR A NOVEL.**

One Offered Ready Made For the Desperado Literato.

A novelist in Boston—do not forget there are novelists in Boston; yes, and actually living here—said to us the other day, "If I could only find a plot!" He is a plot for him free of charge, and that is a true one!

In 1789—a real lady—came into Birmingham, England, with a handbag and desired the landlord of the inn to get her husband, being detained in a nearby town, and without delay to pay half of \$35 dentists bill for work on his wife's teeth on the grounds that they were in poor condition when he married her.

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After many repulses from poor fellow who were not desperate enough for such venture he met with an excuse man, who said he could not be in a worse condition than he was, and accordingly went with the innkeeper and made a tender himself, which was all he had to bestow on the lady, who immediately went with him to one who gave them license and made them man and wife, on which the bride gave her spouse \$200, and without more ado left the town and bridegroom to find out who she was or where he was after him. Some after she got to town two gentlemen came into the town in full pursuit of her. They had traced her so far upon the road, and finding it inn where she had put up, they examined all the particulars of her conduct, and on hearing she was married gave up the pursuit and turned back.

Truly, a noble dame, one worthy of full length portrait in the gallery constructed by Thomas Hardy!

Why did this noble dame offer herself to the first comer? And why were the respectable males of the town so backward? There was no one around. Who was the poor man? Did she wish to be married to a marriage to escape a definitely contrived and repugnant? Was the really man a pretty fellow, in spite of his abject condition? Did she ever see him before? Did she ever regret that she had not traveled the world and lived with him? Perhaps the memory of her apparition haunts him; perhaps it roused him to doubts. It's a pity that Mr. Hardy has no account for her action and her fate with his grim irony.—Boston Journal.

**"DEATH TO THE JEWS"**

Riotous Conduct of Alleged Christians In Algiers.

**STRONG RESISTANCE TO POLICE.**

Assistance of Troops Required to Overcome Mobs.

Algiers, Jan. 24.—Anti-Jewish riots were renewed here Sunday. The mob invaded the Jewish quarter and pillaged the shops, driving the Jewish merchants into the streets. A squadron of chasseurs was ordered to the scene, and charged the mob with drawn swords, but the mob performed further on, cheering for the army.

Hurricanes and daggers were freely used. One man who was stabbed in the back and shot in the head died on the spot; many were seriously stabbed, one named Goyol dying from his wounds.

The crowd, hearing of this, became dangerously excited, shouted, "They are murdering us; death to the Jews," and resumed piling. The fronts of six shops were destroyed and the loot was burned.

The police repeatedly charged the rioters, but were stubbornly resisted and were powerless to restore order until the troops arrived. Several policemen were severely matted. Many arrests for theft have been made. The Jewish authorities recommended their co-religionists to remain indoors. Both the men killed were christians, and their compatriots have sworn to avenge them. Disturbances and the looting of Jewish shops continued throughout the evening despite the efforts of the troops to quell the riots. At 10 o'clock Jewish shopkeepers were pillaged and their contents thrown into the streets. The mob then charged the crowd with fixed bayonets and dispersed it, many persons being injured. The rioters resupplied on the quays and set fire to the Jewish spirit stores. Troops were reurned to the spot.

**ANTI-DREYFUS MEETING.**

Paris, Jan. 24.—In anticipation of the prohibited anti-Dreyfus demonstration Sunday, under the direction of the organizing committee of the anti-Dreyfus meeting last Monday night, certain measures were taken by the anti-Dreyfusites to preserve order. Careful plans and the gardens of the Tuilleries were held by detachments of cavalry and infantry and large forces of police. Nothing but a small crowd gathered at 10 o'clock in the afternoon, the time appointed for the meeting, to protest against the pro-Dreyfus march. The approaches to the hall were occupied by police and mounted republican guards, while the procession was taken off to the right in the direction of the Tuilleries.

The police refused admission to known anarchists, but many who were less prominent avoided police and disturbances. Subsequently the modest disturbances of the processions were expected from the hall. It was perceived that a wreath should be laid to the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier in the Pantheon, and a compromise was agreed upon with the police.

The result of the vote was a surprise, as all of the national officers elected to a vote were found to be against the measure. The only states not voting were Louisiana, Rhode Island, California and Oregon.

**TO ADMIT PROFESSIONALS.**

Chicago, Jan. 24.—The Century Board of America has extended the hand of fellowship to professionals. The vote on the question of admitting "prof's" to membership was rendered some time ago, but the correspondence of the organization to the various committees of the organization has been kept secret, of which 61 were in favor of the amendment.

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**WHAT YOU 'LOWIN' FOR EGGS?**

The Question That Puzzles a Modern Young Saleswoman.

This was in one of the big retail houses in the shade of Grace church. The man was an elderly, fat, successful and affectionate farmer of the present, who can take care of himself, but the elongated, cadaverous chin-chickered, wing-wasted farmer who helps his wife in her house work and often wears her apron. He carried a basket.

Be sure you get SCOTT'S Emulsion. See that the man and girl are on the wrapper, see and save all druggists.

SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, New York.

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Havana, Jan. 24.—It was observed at 11 o'clock Saturday that a dry hollowness had been created in the fortifications of Santa Clara, shaking all the buildings in town. The insurgents entered the town under cover of the darkness and, in spite of the firing of the fort, penetrated four stories. A part of the garrison turned out and a battle began in the streets. The insurgents, according to reports from Spanish officials, were attacked by bayonets on the front and rear and compelled to retire, leaving nine killed, among them three officers. They lost seven rifles and 100 cartridges. A dynamite bomb had been placed in a carriage, and the police returned to allow the crowd to follow in a body, and divided it into small groups. In the meantime the socialists had tried to rally to organize a fresh attack.

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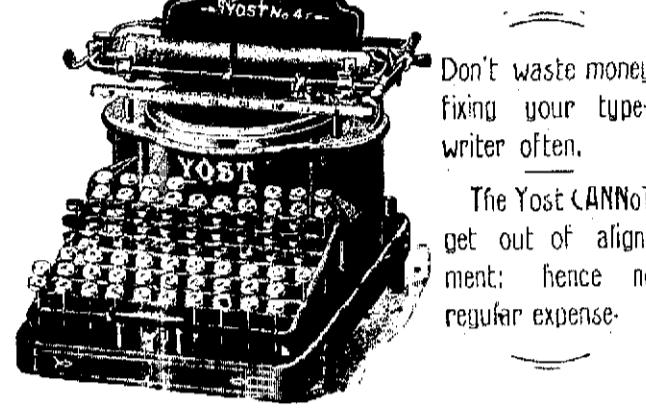
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## INTERNAL WARFARE.

Breach in the Ranks of the Massachusetts Democracy.

CONTROL OF STATE COMMITTEE.

Follower of Mr. Williams Lays Claim to Chairmanship.

Springfield, Mass., Jan. 24.—Chairman C. J. Callahan of Holyoke, when interviewed by a Republican representative regarding the differences in the Democratic state committee, submitted an official statement to the party as follows:

To the Democrats of Massachusetts—The attempt now being made by a majority of the state committee to divide the Democracy by refusing to recognize the organization effected Jan. 8, 1898, by endeavoring to depose the legally elected officers of the committee, has created a situation which, it seems to me, justifies me as chairman of the state committee in defining the position of the committee in the regular organization.

On Jan. 8, at 12 m., in the American House, the time and place appointed, the committee-men favoring the candidacies of Mr. McNary, Mr. Lewis and myself assembled for the single purpose of organizing the committee in compliance with the statutes of the commonwealth. We firmly hold that the right and duty of the new committee as fixed by the statutes can in no way be affected or altered by the rules of any former committee; but, so far as I know, no one at that time dreamed of objecting to the opening of the meeting by Dr. Coughlin, the retiring chairman. We patiently remained in the room awaiting the call to order, ready and willing to make a test of strength and to abide by the result. The opposition refused to allow the meeting, remaining in the corners of the hall until a few minutes past 1 o'clock. At that time, having a majority of members in the room, decided it was time to permit the hour to elapse, we proceeded to argue, being called to order by Daniel H. Crowley, a member-elect and a vice-president of the old committee. The gentleman who was now seeking to overthrow the organization fledged into the room. Mr. Lee was denied admission for the reason that the committee was performing its duty of organization, and that, as he was not a member of the committee, he had no legal right to participate in the proceedings. Mr. Crowley proceeded with eminent firmness.

Let the Democrats of this state keep well in mind the undisputed facts that no member of the committee, without exception, who presented himself at the door, was refused admittance; that the opposition put a very active and prominent part in the proceedings; that Mr. Crowley put to the meeting a motion made by one of their number that Mr. Crowley be secretary pro tem; that Mr. Crowley's decision that the motion was lost being doubted by the minority, thereupon Mr. Crowley had the vote taken by voice; that there was no one but members in the room, and that the result of the ballot was 11 ayes, 23 nays, with four not voting; that I was then nominated for chairman, and that the gentlemen who favored the candidacy of Dr. Cooke refused to exert their rights to vote, withdrawing from the meeting after my election.

In my opinion the meeting and proceedings were in strict accordance with law, but, without discussing the legal phase of the situation, it seems to me to be a fair contention that it is incumbent upon the minority, having had the opportunity to vote for their candidates and not having been denied one right, to point out where they suffered any harm, and to explain why after the undisputed defeat of the motion that Mr. Crowley serve as temporary secretary they refused to make a test of strength upon the question of the chairmanship. Their contention that they represent a majority of the committee is sufficiently answered by their failure to secure the presence of a majority at their adjourned meeting Saturday.

Reports from Maine and New Hampshire show that the storm was severe throughout that region. More snow fell in some places in Maine than has been seen all winter, and trains from the north and east into Portland were all more or less delayed. Another peculiar feature of the storm was the electric phenomena at Eastport and St. John. For half an hour it thundered and lightened like an afternoon in July, but this was followed by a shift of wind to the northeast, and nearly a blizzard. The wind at one time at Eastport reached a velocity of 60 miles an hour. Altogether the storm was rather a peculiar and a remarkable one from New England.

Once until deposed by a majority of the committee to whom will, legally expressed, I stand at all times ready to submit. But let it be clearly understood that the submission for signature of any writing to the members of the committee affecting the chairmanship is done without my consent and in no way justified by the attitude I have taken or any statement I have made, and I appeal to members of the Democratic state committee to cease this destructive internal warfare and to join hands with me in a determined effort to build up and strengthen the Democracy of Massachusetts for the stern battle to be fought this fall for the advancement of the great principles of Democracy proclaimed at Chicago in 1896.

WHICH HAS A MAJORITY?

Boston, Jan. 24.—The anti-Williams element of the state committee met Saturday afternoon, but did not organize, as had been contemplated. A committee which had interviewed Mr. Callahan, who happened to be here from Holyoke, reported him as having said that he was anxious for harmony and would give place to Dr. Cooke in the chairmanship if Mr. Cook could prove that he had the support of 30 members of the committee. There were 27 members of the committee at the meeting.

In order to secure evidence that 30 members of the committee were favorable to Dr. Cooke for chairman and Daniel H. Crowley for secretary, a poll was drawn up to be circulated by a committee of three, to which all members in favor of Cooke and Crowley might attach their signatures. In their conference that more than 30 members will sign, the members who voted to circulate will publish it, so as to prove to the people that they are in the majority.

Thereupon the meeting adjourned for one week after drawing up a petition that Mr. Callahan and Mr. Cooke jointly issue a call for a meeting of all the members of the state committee for the purpose of electing a legal organization.

PECULIAR STORM.

High Wind, an Abundance of Rain, Much Snow and a Tidal Wave.

Boston, Jan. 24.—A storm of considerable severity and attended with rather exceptional phenomena passed over New England Sunday, causing heavy rains in the southern portion, 10 to 12 inches of snow in Maine and New Hampshire, thunder and lightning in the extreme northeast, and practically a tidal wave on the coast from Cape Cod to Portland.

While the heavy snow in Maine caused some delay in railroad transportation, and the severe rains in the south were responsible for numerous washouts, the most destructive feature of the storm seems to have been in the tremendous tide which swept in from the sea at noon, inundating a greater portion of the coast and causing a heavy loss of property along the shore front and at the wharves.

A Gloucester tide according to some records, was the highest since the memorable storm of 1861, and caused an estimated loss to property of over \$6,000. Cottages were flooded, and the owners of stores which suffered were absent, scarcely any goods were saved from the water. Fortunately the costly wind subsided before noon, so it had increased a tide of tremendous proportions, would undoubtedly have done far greater damage, not only in Gloucester, but to the cottages on Cape Ann. At Hull and along Nahant Beach the tide swept in far above the usual mark, carrying away a number of small houses on the beach, wrecking yards of large dwellings and causing a loss to the cottages of some hundreds of dollars.

What destruction would have been wrought if a northeast gale had been howling along the coast at the time can only be conjectured, but would probably have made the day as memorable as that of April, 1851, when Minot's Light was carried away. Other localities along shore also reported losses from the tide of more or less extent. Several theories have been advanced as to this phenomenal of the storm, for while the disturbance caused several gales in some portions within a radius of 50 miles of this city, exceptionally heavy winds were not reported and certainly not on the coast. The position of the moon undoubtedly had much to do with the great height of the tide, but an easterly blow some distance out at sea, caused by the storm probably had swelled the tidal wave to something far beyond what has been seen here for many years.

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CLEVELAND MISREPRESENTED.

Princeton, N. J., Jan. 24.—In reference to the assertion recently made by Senator Morgan, that ex-President Cleveland was really in favor of Hawaiian annexation, the ex-president made the following statement: "Any one who knows me or knows anything concerning my administration is well aware that I was always opposed to the annexation of Hawaii. I regarded such a proceeding as a violent departure from our traditional policy, and as soon as possible after my inauguration I withdrew the treaty providing for annexation which had been drawn up by President Harrison. Actuated by a simple desire to ascertain the exact facts relative to the Hawaiian revolution I dispatched Mr. Blount to the islands to investigate the situation. From what he told me I was satisfied that the part played by the United States in the revolution was disgraceful, and it was only with a desire to set a great national wrong righted that I made the recommendations which I did to congress."

HIS RIVAL SHOT AT HIM.

Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 24.—John Hughes, employed as superintendent of some work at the Edgar Thomson steel works, Braddock, has just returned from Saltville, Smith county, W. Va., with a bullet whom he secured after a shooting scrap. Hughes was sent to Saltville by his firm two weeks ago. There he met Agnes Chapman of Red Brook, who had been engaged for two years to William Acres, and won her at the first interview. When he left the house Acres and his crowd shot at Hughes, who fired back. George Buchanan was shot in the head. The next morning Hughes and the girl drove over to Bristol, Tenn., were married, and came to Braddock. They expect Acres to follow, and Hughes is prepared for another shooting.

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SENATOR ELKINS' BILL.

Washington, Jan. 24.—Senator Elkins has prepared a bill which he thinks will materially improve the financial situation. His bill will provide that no bills under \$5 shall be issued. That would force silver into circulation. It will also provide that the tax on national bank circulation be reduced to one-fourth of 1 percent; that the banks be allowed to issue currency up to the par value of their bonds and further that banks may be established with \$25,000 capital.

He takes this step without conferring with any of his associates, but he is confident that it will appeal to the intelligence of every man who is interested in a simple, but thoroughly practical, improvement in our banking system. His plan does not attempt to draw the line between gold and silver, as they are circulating at par today, in spite of all that may be said to the contrary.

MURDER AND SUICIDE.

New Albany, Ind., Jan. 24.—Mrs. Seth Coffman, aged 40, wife of one of the wealthiest citizens of this country, about eight miles north of here, cut her throat and died. Before cutting the throat she gave instructions to her 3-year-old child, who is beyond recovery.

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### MOON'S PHASES.

Full Moon	7 p.m.	New Moon	22 a.m.
Third Quarter	11 a.m.	First Quarter	9 a.m.

THURSDAY FORECAST.

Fair weather, with considerably colder temperatures. Follows the storm. The temperature will not, however, fall much below freezing over the greater part of New England. The weather in this district will continue fair through Tuesday and possibly Wednesday with somewhat cold temperatures tonight and Thursday morning, high westerly winds diminishing in force.

ALMANAC TUESDAY, JAN. 25.

Sunrise—5:05 a.m. Sets, 4:48 p.m.  
Moon sets—7:50 p.m.  
High tide 1 a.m., 1 p.m.

MONDAY, JANUARY 24, 1898.

### A Dangerous Coast

Did you ever notice that boys must always take the most dangerous means possible of enjoying themselves? For instance, in spite of the fact that there are a dozen or more hills just as good in town, they must all go to the most dangerous one they can find, to coast on, namely, that on Linden street. They shoot down across Bow street at a terrific rate of speed right through the crowd of people who are landed every two an hour from the ferry boat. It is one of the most dangerous coasts in the city yet hundreds of boys and almost as many girls put in the whole of Saturday there risking life and limb. In the afternoon Marshal Entwistle had an officer stationed there to warn approaching teams.

### The Devil's Auction

Charles H. Yale's "Forever Devil's Auction" stands today as one of the most phenomenal pieces of theatrical properties of the past decade. It is now the sixteenth year of this popular show piece and the theatre going public have not apparently got in any way tired of it yet. The secret of the "Devil's Auction's" success is due to the never ceasing energy and creative ability of its proprietor and manager, Charles H. Yale, who each year makes a clean sweep of old ideas and features, and replaces them with new and catchy matter, replete with timely hits upon the latest "fad" or "whimse."

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### Captain Abel Goodwin

Capt. Abel Goodwin of Newburyport died in that city on Saturday morning, Jan. 22d, at the age of eighty-eight years. He leaves a wife, who was his companion for fifty-nine years; four sons, Abel Jr., of Beverly, Robert S. of Newburyport, Alfred R. and Stephen H. of this city; three daughters, Mrs. Eunice Knight of Newbury, Mrs. Frances Horton of Boston and Mrs. Mary Buckley of Chelsea.

Capt. Goodwin was an early life a seafaring man, but later, for many years, was watchman at the old Jones mills.

### Death of Eben Odiorne.

Sunday morning at his home on Elwyn road occurred the death of Eben Odiorne, at the age of seventy one years and six months. Deceased leaves a wife and two daughters besides a large circle of friends to mourn his sad loss taking away.

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## ALMOST A FLOOD.

Storm of Sunday One of the Worst Ever Known.

Wharves Submerged and the Tide Highest Known For Twenty-Five Years.

People who had to leave their homes yesterday morning and started without rubber boots had to put back for high boots. The sidewalks were covered with five to ten inches of water and the gutters were running brooks which had overflowed and covered many of the streets.

It was without an exception the most disagreeable day for a number of years. Boys selling the Sunday papers had their stock mounted on wooden boxes in order to escape damage and if the city employees had not been set to work, the cellars of the business houses would have been flooded.

As a result of the disagreeable weather the morning church services were slightly attended and but a few people ventured out any time during the day. Street Commissioner Ridge had his men out at an early hour and they did good work in opening up the cesspools so that the immense amount of surplus water could be drained from the streets. The cellars of many private residences in spite of the efforts to keep the streets free of ponds, were flooded and considerable damage was the result.

The highest tide ever known was what old time river men pronounced yesterday's big tide and people who braved the elements of the weather witnessed many interesting sights along the water front. At flood tide yesterday noon a HERALD man made a tour of the wharves and found many interested proprietors looking at their property in wonderment. At the south end the wharves were all under water and many people were forced to remove their live stock from their barns. All the fish houses were flooded and the sea in places came within a few feet of Water street. To the spectator it looked as if some of the craft lying at their docks would be floated onto the wharves.

The yards were afloat with wool and rubbish and the owners of wharf property suffered considerable damage. Salter's wharf was a sea of water and Broughton's lumber buildings were flooded. The small boat landings were moved nearly to some of the streets and had the river passenger steamers all been running some of them would have been without landings at all.

The north-east gale had driven the sea in with great force and during the night Whaleback Light received a washing that has not been equaled this season. Many strange vessels put into this harbor during the night for shelter and all remained at anchor during the day. It was a tough night off shore and when the old sea dogs sighted Portsmouth light they were then sure of a safe harbor. The tide at midnight exceeded the noon tide and a number of property owners along the water front had men on the lookout all night to prevent damage if possible.

Across the river in the towns of Kittery and Kittery Point the height of the tide frightened the people and they turned out en masse. Gathering on the banks of the river they watched the steadily increasing waters, wondering where they would cease. Barns were flooded, boat houses washed from their foundations and very thing not fastened down was swept away.

At the electric power station the water poured into the boiler room and soon quenched the fires, necessitating the shutting down of the road until after two o'clock. The tide also swept over the company's wharf on Badger's island, and the steamer Mystic was forced to land her passengers directly onto the island.

The storm at Newcastle did much damage and the tide rose higher than it has for years. The stern of the old wreck at the town landing was carried away and Mr. John Baker lost a valuable boat. It was thought that the craft was far beyond the reach of the water but the waves easily broke over it and soon stove it into kindling wood.

Numerous small boats were sunk at their moorings, while several others would have been stove to pieces but for the prompt action of their owners.

The road to the fort was strewed with seaweed and wreckage. A number of lobster pots were also lost and broken open.

### FLOOD NOTES.

The tide last night was nearly as high as it was through the day, although the change in the wind kept it down considerably.

There was between five and six feet of water in Salem tunnel yesterday at high tide and an engine passing through there had just steam enough to pull it through before the fire was extinguished.

J. H. Broughton, the lumber dealer, lost several bundles of laths by the flood.

The tide backed up into the Deer street sewer and flooded nearly every cellar that

was directly connected with it as far up as the B. and M. round house.

The water at one time was within two inches of the fires in the boilers at the passenger station, something never heard of before.

Hundreds of small boats along the water front were sunk at their moorings.

Captain Mayo of the Jerry's Point Life Saving station reports the tide the highest ever known there. The station was surrounded and the sea, entered the buildings.

A number of bridges on the Boston & Maine were inundated.

The funeral of Walter R. Hayden of Eliot, which was to have occurred yesterday noon, had to be postponed owing to the condition of the streets. It was impossible to move out of doors there owing to the storm.

Barns and outbuildings were flooded and horses and other animals had to be removed to a place of safety. The water from the river flowed into the south mill pond and Jenkins avenue was inundated, making it impassable.

Don't miss the Ivanhoe club masquerade Tuesday evening at Peirce hall.

Tomorrow evening will be held the big masquerade ball of the Ivanhoe club.

A new restaurant is to be opened up on business on Daniel street tomorrow.

The Ivanhoe club masquerade occurs Tuesday evening, Jan. 25, at Peirce hall.

The relay race opened in Dover today. Two Portsmouth athletes are said to have entered.

Don't fail to call in W. E. Paul's Saturday evening and look over his bargain counter.

Today is the feast of St. Timothy, and tomorrow the festival of the Conversion of St. Paul.

Work at the shoe factory was resumed this morning and the big ball was discontinued again.

"The Devil's Auction" is the attraction at Music hall this evening and will draw a good house.

H. P. Montgomery was in Boston today on business.

John G. Tobey, Jr., was in Exeter today on business.

Mrs. Charles P. Berry was a visitor in Boston Saturday.

Sherman T. Newton made a business trip to Boston today.

Hon. Charles A. Sinclair of Boston is a visitor in town today.

Miss Abbie Maddon is the guest of friends at Beachmont, Mass.

Mrs. Ellen Kelly has returned from a visit to friends in Roxbury, Mass.

R. H. Jordan of Portland, Me., passed Sunday with his family in this city.

Abram S. Johnson, deceased, has been granted a pension of \$8 per month.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Chandler have returned from their wedding trip.

Mr. H. F. Eldredge came down from Boston this morning on the eleven o'clock train.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin N. Paul of Mark street have returned from a visit to relatives in Eliot.

Wm. H. Risius, Esq., returned on Saturday evening from a short visit to New York and Philadelphia.

Mr. Frank Jones and party arrived at New Orleans on Saturday and are expected to reach here on Tuesday.

Mr. Willis M. Dennett of Boston was in town over Sunday, visiting his mother, Mrs. A. B. Dennett, Fleet street.

Mrs. Frank Moulton is confined to her home with badly sprained ankle received by a fall Saturday evening.

S. Peter Ency, Esq., passed Sunday in Dover, the guest of Mr. John Hollard, local correspondent of the Union.